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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Mariko OKAMOTO et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1615  
Application No.: 09/667,420 ) Examiner: B. FUBARA  
Filed: September 21, 2000 )  
For: GEL COMPOSITION AND ITS )  
USE IN COSMETIC )  
COMPOSITIONS AND THE LIKE )

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Time (2 mo)

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of September 17, 2002. A fee of \$110.00 was previously paid on January 10, 2003, and the remainder of the three-month fee (\$930.00 minus \$110.00) of \$820.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

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Respectfully submitted,

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